

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

GOVERNMENTAL OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Senator Ring, Chair
Senator Siplin, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, March 23, 2011

TIME: 3:15 —5:15 p.m.

PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Ring, Chair; Senator Siplin, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Bogdanoff, Dean, Fasano, Flores, Garcia, Latvala, Margolis, Montford, Norman, and Wise

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 330 Gaetz (Identical H 553)	Violations of the Florida Election Code; Provides that a candidate who, in a primary or other election, falsely represents that he or she served or is currently serving in the military, commits a violation of the Florida Election Code. Requires that the commission adopt rules to provide for an expedited hearing for complaints filed with the commission. Requires that the Director of the Division of Administrative Hearings assign an administrative law judge to provide an expedited hearing in certain cases, etc. EE 01/26/2011 Favorable RC 02/24/2011 Favorable MS 03/10/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 90 Education Pre-K - 12 / Gaetz	Financial Emergencies; Requires a plan of a county or municipality to improve the efficiency, accountability, and coordination of the delivery of local government services to include a plan for the consolidation of all administrative direction and support services if the county or municipality is subject to review and oversight by the Governor. Authorizes a financial emergency review board for a local government entity or district school board to consult with other governmental entities for the consolidation of all administrative direction and support services, etc. CA 01/11/2011 Fav/2 Amendments ED 02/21/2011 Fav/CS GO 03/23/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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3	CS/SB 312 Health Regulation / Richter (Similar H 483, Compare H 485, H 795, S 656, Link CS/S 314)	Practice of Dentistry; Requires persons who apply for licensure renewal as a dentist or dental hygienist to furnish certain information to the Department of Health in a dental workforce survey. Requires the department to serve as the coordinating body for the purpose of collecting, disseminating, and updating dental workforce data. Requires the department to maintain a database regarding the state's dental workforce. Authorizes certain business entities to pay for prescription drugs obtained by practitioners licensed under ch. 466, F.S., etc. HR 01/25/2011 Fav/CS GO 03/23/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
4	CS/SB 314 Health Regulation / Richter (Identical H 485, Compare H 483, Link CS/S 312)	Public Records/Dental Workforce Surveys; Provides an exemption from public records requirements for information contained in dental workforce surveys submitted by dentists or dental hygienists to the Department of Health as a condition for license renewal. Provides exceptions to the exemption. Provides for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act. Provides a statement of public necessity. HR 01/25/2011 Fav/CS GO 03/23/2011 Favorable BC RC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
5	SB 420 Health Regulation (Similar H 7079)	OGSR/Florida Center for Brain Tumor Research; Provides that personal identifying information pertaining to a donor to the central repository for brain tumor biopsies or the brain tumor registry of the Florida Center for Brain Tumor Research is confidential and exempt from public records requirements. Provides an exception under certain conditions for information disclosed to a person engaged in bona fide research. Provides for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act, etc. HR 02/08/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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6	SB 568 Judiciary (Identical H 7085)	OGSR/Court Records/Court Monitors/Guardianship; Amends provisions relating to public record exemptions for court records relating to court monitors in guardianship proceedings. Consolidates provisions. Provides that orders appointing nonemergency court monitors are exempt rather than confidential and exempt. Provides that only court orders finding no probable cause are confidential and exempt. Saves the exemptions from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act. Removes the scheduled repeal of the exemption. JU 02/22/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
7	SB 570 Judiciary (Identical H 7083)	OGSR/Interference With Custody; Amends a provision relating to a public records exemption for information submitted to a sheriff or state attorney for the purpose of obtaining immunity from prosecution for the offense of interference with custody. Saves the exemption from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act. Deletes a provision providing for the repeal of the exemption. JU 02/22/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
A proposed committee substitute for the following bill (SB 572) is expected to be considered:			
8	SB 572 Judiciary (Similar H 7081)	OGSR/Statewide Public Guardianship Office; Repeals provisions relating to an exemption from public records requirements for information that identifies donors and prospective donors to the direct- support organization of the Statewide Public Guardianship Office. Saves the exemption from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act. Abrogates the scheduled repeal of the exemption. JU 02/22/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 0

A proposed committee substitute for the following bill (SB 600) is expected to be
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9	SB 600 Criminal Justice (Similar H 7075)	OGSR/Records/DJJ Employees & Family Members; Amends a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain records relating to current and former employees of the Department of Juvenile Justice and their family members, including juvenile probation officers and supervisors, detention and assistant detention superintendents, juvenile justice detention officers and supervisors, juvenile justice residential officers and supervisors, juvenile justice counselors and supervisors, human service counselor administrators, etc. CJ 03/09/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 0
10	SB 602 Criminal Justice (Identical H 7077)	OGSR/Biometric Identification Information; Amends a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for biometric identification information held by an agency. Saves the exemption from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act. Removes the scheduled repeal of the exemption. CJ 03/09/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
11	CS/SB 380 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Wise (Identical CS/H 279)	Training/Certification/Child Welfare Personnel; Provides required criteria for the approval of credentialing entities that develop and administer certification programs for persons who provide child welfare serves. Revises the use of the Child Welfare Training Trust Fund within the Department of Children and Family Services. Requires persons who provide child welfare services to be certified by a third-party credentialing entity. Allows entities to contract for training. Requires persons to master core competencies. Authorizes approval of third-party credentialing entities, etc. CF 02/08/2011 Fav/CS GO 03/23/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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12	CS/SB 480 Community Affairs / Wise (Compare H 811)	Florida Endowment for Vocational Rehabilitation; Removes a provision that requires the State Board of Administration to invest and reinvest moneys in the endowment fund for the Florida Endowment for Vocational Rehabilitation. Requires that a specified percent of the remainder of all civil penalties received by a county court and after distribution pursuant to ch. 318, F.S., be remitted to the Department of Revenue on a monthly basis, etc. CA 02/21/2011 Fav/CS HE 03/09/2011 Favorable GO 03/23/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
13	SB 386 Bogdanoff (Similar S 1258, Compare H 1079)	Procurement/Preference to Florida Businesses; Cites this act as the "Buy Florida Act." Requires an agency, county, municipality, school district, or other political subdivision of the state to grant a specified preference to a vendor located within the state when awarding a contract for printing under certain circumstances. Specifies the percentages of preference to be granted, etc. GO 03/23/2011 Fav/CS CA BC	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 0
14	SB 1182 Ring	State Board of Administration; Authorizes the board to invest the assets of a governmental entity in the Local Government Surplus Funds Trust Fund without a trust agreement with that governmental entity. Provides that certain investments made by the board under a trust agreement are subject only to the restrictions and limitations contained in the trust agreement. Corrects cross-references. Clarifies provisions prohibiting certain conflicts of interest by investment advisers and managers retained by the board. GO 03/23/2011 Temporarily Postponed BC	Temporarily Postponed